

THE WEATHER

Fair Tonight and Tuesday

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS	
Silver	74 7/8
Copper	30-31
Lead	10 1/2
Quicksilver	\$110

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BRITISH BRAVE BLAZING OIL
POISON GAS AND HORRORS
IN CAPTURE OF BULLECOURT

(By Associated Press.)

Through blazing oil, poison gas and other horrors, the British are fighting their way to the Drocourt-Queant line. Queant is virtually pocketed. The Germans were finally driven from Bullecourt. The British successfully assaulted the German submarine base at Zeebrugge from the sea and air. The Drocourt-Queant line is the gate to Roux-Cambrai, the principal link in the fetters welded on northern France by the Germans. To the east and west, south of Queant the road is nearly clear to the British so far as natural bearings are concerned. The Austrian report of an artillery bombardment by Italians may mean that the long inactivity of General Cadorna is about to be broken. The resignation of Russian generals heighten the impression of the growing power of the radicals, and democratization of the army.

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, May 14.—The Germans have retained the ruins of Bullecourt, against several attacks.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 14.—Most of the village of Bullecourt in the Hindenburg line, is now in the hands of the British who also, according to the official report from headquarters in France, occupied the western section of Moex.

The report reads: "Early this morning the enemy made two further counter attacks upon our positions in the Hindenburg line east of Bullecourt. In both cases his attacking troops were repulsed and left a number of dead in front of our trenches. During the past ten days the Australian troops have gallantly

maintained their positions in this sector of the Hindenburg line, having during that period repelled at least twelve determined hostile counter attacks.

"The greater part of the village of Bullecourt, which lies in the Hindenburg line, is now in our hands. North of the Scarpe our troops established themselves during the day in the western house of Roux and again made progress on the western slopes of Greenland hill, capturing a few prisoners.

"Five German airplanes were brought down in air fighting yesterday, five others were driven down out of control. One other hostile machine was shot down in our lines by anti-aircraft guns. Six of our airplanes are missing."

NO SEPARATE PEACE
WITHOUT DEFEAT

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, May 14.—Addressing a congress of delegates of the field army, Minshviki Thoretell, member of the council of workmen and soldiers delegates declared that the German and Austrian proletariat had not yet emerged from the state of chauvinistic intoxication in which they had been plunged by Dr. Behnmann-Hollweg, the imperial German chancellor and the imperialist bourgeoisie.

"As long as the German proletariat, marching with Emperor Wil-

liam," said the speaker, "our position is clear. Should we now stretch a fraternal hand toward the people of central Europe to conclude a separate peace, it would be an eternal shame which would lead inevitably to the downfall and annihilation of Russia.

"We will not seek to break our engagements with our allies. On the contrary, we will do our utmost that the allegiance arranged by the bourgeoisie shall be more solidly cemented by the fraternal union of the allied democracies."

PRESS CENSORSHIP
WILL BE RESTOREDLEADER MARTIN AND ANOTHER
DEMOCRAT WILL CHANGE
THEIR VOTES

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—Senator Overman announced today that the administration would endeavor to restore the press censorship section to the measure.

Overman declared that Majority Leader Martin, who voted Saturday to strike out the censorship provision would vote to restore it. It is understood another Democrat switched. The section was stricken out Saturday by the margin of one vote. In another and probably final vote the senate defeated the motion restoring a modified censorship provision by 48 to 34.

KING GUSTAVE OPERATED
ON FOR MINOR TROUBLE

(By Associated Press.)

COPENHAGEN, May 14.—King Gustave of Sweden underwent an operation on Saturday, according to advices from Stockholm. The operation was of a minor nature, but the king will be confined to his bed for a few days.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:	
1917	1916
5 a. m.	53
9 a. m.	65
12 noon	70
2 p. m.	71
Maximum May 13th	72
Minimum May 13th	48
Relative humidity at 2 p. m., today, 10 per cent.	

An adlet in the Bonanza is the best investment.

Onion Premiums
At N. Y. Shows

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 14.—In sections of the city where trading stamps were popular before war prices came, the onion and potato now are substituted. In Brooklyn small potatoes and onions are given with each ten-cent purchase. Movie theaters have adopted the scheme of giving an onion and potato with each adult ticket.

MOTOR BUS STRIKE
OBSTRUCTS LONDON

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 14.—This city is without motor buses, 10,000 employees of both sexes being on strike. A thousand munition workers were unable to reach work on time.

GAMBLING
IN GRAINS
AT AN ENDCHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE
YIELDS TO WISHES OF
THE ALLIES

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, May 14.—Directors of the board of trade have ordered all trade in wheat, except to close up existing contracts, stopped for two days. All trade in corn, and oats, for May delivery is discontinued. The step was taken after conferring with representatives of the allied governments.

Brokerage houses pursuing their determination to cease speculating began dismissing telegraph operators, hundreds of women employees and lesser clerks. The wheat pit was practically deserted by noon. Prices sagged.

(By Associated Press.)

KANSAS CITY, May 14.—Directors of the Kansas City board of trade voted to take action suspending trading temporarily, similar to the Chicago grain exchange.

RUSSIAN GENERAL
GIVES UP TRYINGTOO MANY BOSSES ON THE JOB
SO PETROGRAD COMMANDER
RESIGNS

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, May 14.—General Korniloff, commander of the Petrograd garrison, resigned today. The general explained that his resignation was due to an important question arising from the efforts of the various organizations to control the garrison, and added:

"Well, then let them take the responsibility."

General Korniloff was in command of the Petrograd garrison when the imperial government was overthrown and personally arrested the former empress Alexandra.

REGULATION OF MINERAL
LANDS IN OLD MEXICO

(By Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, May 14.—The department of commerce and industry has ordered suspended all negotiations regarding the denunciation of mining lands held by foreigners who have not resigned their treaty rights in compliance with the decree of last September. This suspension will last until the organic law outlining the regulation of mineral and oil lands as provided for in the new constitution is passed by congress.

TWO MEXICAN GENERALS
EXECUTED FOR SPIES

(By Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Texas, May 14.—Chihuahua City papers tell of the executions of Colonels Sixto Vega and Francisco Seenz, of the home guards of Casas Grandes, who were convicted as Villa spies.

(By Associated Press.)

SAN QUENTIN, May 14.—Warden Johnston was notified that prisoners are not exempt from military registration. They can join the army if citizenship is restored to them by pardon.

KAISER SUMMONS
YANKEE DENTIST
FROM PIQUA, OHIOTOOTHACHE NO RESPECTER OF
ROYALTY WHICH DEMANDS
HIGHEST SKILL

(By Associated Press.)

COPENHAGEN, May 14.—Emperor William recognizes no state of war with the United States so far as his personal comfort is concerned. He has summoned his American dentist, Arthur Newton Davis, of Piqua, Ohio, to visit at great headquarters this week and attend to the necessary repairs to the imperial teeth.

The war in general has proved toothache to no respecter of international relations and throughout the long months of tension between Germany and the United States the imperial and royal family and the highest officials of the state have continued to patronize their respective American dentists. Each new crisis was marked by an almost ludicrous rush of members of the royal families, foreign office officials and other dignitaries to get their teeth attended to before the possible departure of the Americans. Some of the most rapid vituperators of the United States have been mild in American dental chairs.

The emperor's personal view of the relations with the United States apparently is the official interpretation of his government, which in a communication regarding the continuance of the Belgian relief work speaks not of war but of the abandonment of neutrality by the United States. Along the same line is a declaration in the reichstag committee by Major General Friedrich who said there was no intention to intern Americans.

DISORDERS
IMPENDING
IN RUSSIAMINISTER OF WAR AND PETRO-
GRAD COMMANDER ADMIT
THEY ARE POWERLESS

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, May 14.—General Guchkoff, minister of war, has resigned. General Korniloff, commander of the garrison resigned previously, saying his position was impossible on account of the efforts of various organizations to control the garrison. The last straw was when a committee of the council of workmen and soldiers' delegates demanded that his orders be presented to the committee for endorsement. It is presumed that Guchkoff resigned for similar reasons.

Guchkoff, in announcing his resignation said: "In view of the conditions in which the power of government has been placed in relation to the army and navy, a condition I am powerless to alter and which threatens to have consequences fatal to defense, liberty and even the existence of Russia, I can no longer exercise the functions of minister and share responsibility for the grave sin being committed against my country."

DEATH OF ENGINEER WHO
PLANNED CABLE SERVICE

(By Associated Press.)

BRIGHTON, England, May 14.—Sir John Howard, a widely known engineer, who planned the Spanish-American cable route, is dead here. He was formerly mayor for this summer resort and was a great benefactor to the town, his last gift being 24 cottage homes for nurses, in memory of Miss Edith Cavell, who was executed by the Germans.

SUBMARINE BASE AT ZEEBRUGGE
ATTACKED BY ENGLISH FLEET
WHICH INFLECTS GREAT DAMAGEVON HOLLWEG GOES
TO VIENNA TO CONFER

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, May 13.—Dr. Von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, left Berlin last night for Vienna to confer with the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

"ROBBERS"
YELL THE
SENATORSWRATH OF LAWMAKERS POUR-
ED ON THE HEADS OF
SPECULATORS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—Senator Thomas, Democrat, proposed an espionage amendment suspending during the war all stock exchanges, boards of trade and chambers of commerce which permit speculation on foodstuffs.

The unrestrained wrath of the senate was poured down on food speculators and gamblers in one of the most remarkable scenes in the history of the chamber.

"Pirates," and "robbers" were terms frequently applied in debating the amendment. Likelihood of food speculators being hanged to lamp posts was hinted at. All agreed that drastic action was necessary against these profiting by dealing in food in the hour of need. Some thought the country should accomplish the object differently.

Senator Thomas' espionage amendment suspending stock exchanges was rejected by 49 to 24.

FAMILIES BROKEN
UP BY THE ENEMY

(By Associated Press.)

HAVRE, France, May 14.—Information officially received by the Belgian government is to the effect that all males between the ages of 15 and 65 in the Belgian province of Luxembourg have been deported for work in France and Germany in the environs of the border.

A census of women also has been taken. The able bodied were compelled to work in the fields replacing men; mothers with infants will be allowed to remain at home and the others will remain at the disposition of the German authorities. In the census no distinctions have been made regarding social standing.

BANKERS KILLED
BY HOLDUP GANG

(By Associated Press.)

PITTSBURGH, May 14.—The cashier of the Castle Shannon Suburban Bank, and assistant, were shot and killed by four robbers. One robber was killed and two wounded and captured. One escaped and most of the money was recovered.

Cashier D. H. McLean and assistant, Frank Erbe, were killed when the robbers ordered hands up. The robbers gathered \$10,000 and ran to an automobile.

George Beltzhoover, a magistrate who heard the shooting, reached the bank with a shot gun which he found unloaded. One bandit fired at him, another knocked him down with the bag of money. Two bandits who fled in an auto were captured by a posse after they were wounded. Others were pursued by citizens' scout. One was killed and the other escaped.

HON. BEN LUCE autored to Tybo Vacuum Cleaners for rent at Lundie Bros. yesterday, returning in the evening.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 14.—An official statement issued by the British admiralty, says: "A very heavy bombardment of the important area at Zeebrugge was successfully carried out Saturday morning by our forces. The royal naval air service rendered valuable co-operation and 15 other aerial combats occurred in which four enemy machines were destroyed and five others were driven down out of control."

(By Associated Press.)

ROTTERDAM, Via London, May 14.—The naval attack Saturday on the German submarine base at Zeebrugge on the Belgian coast was the most destructive yet made by British warships. Two submarine sheds were blown up. Sixty-three persons were killed and upwards of a hundred others were taken to hospitals.

(By Associated Press.)

AMSTERDAM, May 15.—Via London, 10:46 a. m.—For seven hours on Wednesday a great fire raged on the imperial wharves at Wilhelms-haven, according to advices received here today. The submarine building department was seriously damaged. The entire district has been closed to the public.

Wilhelmshaven is the chief Ger-

man naval station and war harbor in the North Sea and is the second largest naval base of the empire.

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, May 14.—"Enemy monitors, during foggy weather early Saturday morning shelled Zeebrugge from a great distance," says an official statement issued yesterday. "Our batteries replied. There was no loss of life. Slight material damage was done."

MONGOLIA RETURNS
HOME WITHOUT HARM

(By Associated Press.)

May 14.—The American steamship Mongolia, from which the country's first shot in the war with Germany was fired with such accuracy that a German submarine was sunk, arrived at an American port Sunday from Europe, bringing a report by the officers of another apparent encounter with a U-boat.

The second adventure was on May 9, according to Lieutenant Bruce M. Ware, the man who commanded the naval gun crew which disposed of the submarine on April 19, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington. The Mongolia was on her homeward voyage, when about midnight the wake of what was believed to be a torpedo was seen ahead in the moonlight. The missile, if it was one, passed under the ship's bow. No

submarine was sighted, but a shot was fired from one of the Mongolia's guns in the direction from which the supposed torpedo had come and nothing further was heard or seen to indicate a submarine's presence.

The gunners on the Mongolia were jubilant upon their arrival. They reiterated their conviction that the shot on April 19, sank the submarine. It was fired, Lieutenant Ware said, by James A. Goodwin, gunner's mate of Portsmouth, Vt.

Lieutenant Ware declared that through his glasses he saw the shot strike the U-boat's periscope and that the hit was followed by a cloud of white vapor as if an internal explosion had been caused. After that the submarine did not reappear, he said.

TWO BRITISH BOATS
SUNK SAME DAYNO LIVES LOST ALTHOUGH ONE
BIG SHIP CARRIED THREE
HUNDRED PASSENGERS

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 14.—American passengers arriving from England declare the British passenger steamer Medna, 1200 tons, was submerged and sunk April 21st near Plymouth. Of the 300 passengers and crew, none was lost. The Omrah, a British steamer, also was sunk the same day. No lives were lost. Both had valuable cargoes.

BRAZIL FIGURING ON
WARRING WITH GERMANY

(By Associated Press.)

RIO JANTERO, May 14.—It is understood that information is being sought by the Brazilian minister of war regarding the possibility of eventually obtaining arms and ammunition from a great industrial power.

EARNINGS OF MINES IMPROVE
WITH TWO LEADING COMPANIES

Reports of the earning of the Belmont for the month of April show an improvement over the previous month, the net being \$83,250. The Butler also reports an increase of \$48,590 for the same month.

SIR JOHN JELlicoe
MADE CHIEF OF STAFF

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 14.—Sir Edward Carson, first lord of the admiralty, announced to the house of commons, the formation of a naval staff of which Sir John Jellicoe, first sea lord, will be chief.

Nine thousand revolutions per minute Vacuum Cleaners for rent at Lundie Bros. Advt.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ASKIN
CONDUCTED THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jeanette Askin was held this afternoon from the Presbyterian church where Rev. W. R. Bayless officiated owing to the absence of Rev. Harlan Bailey, pastor of St. Mark's church, who was detained at Reno. The pastor spoke feelingly on the many endearing qualities of the deceased as a wife and mother. The casket was covered with floral offerings and the church was filled with members of the family and their numerous friends, who testified to their esteem for the decedent. The pallbearers were William Hart, Joe Stenson, James Timlin, James J. McQuillan, W. T. Cuddy and James Grimes. Interment was at the Tonopah cemetery.

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